

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PARKS, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Voting Members:

Heidi Tsuneyoshi, Chair; Ikaika Anderson, Vice-Chair;
Brandon J.C. Elefante, Joey Manahan, Ron Menor

Committee Meeting Held
April 23, 2019

Honorable Ann H. Kobayashi
Chair, City Council
City and County of Honolulu

Madam Chair:

Your Committee on Parks, Community Services and Intergovernmental Affairs, which considered Resolution 19-92 entitled:

"RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE COUNCIL'S JOINING WITH LOCAL RESIDENTS' OPPOSITION TO CERTAIN MASTER PLANNED IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE ALA MOANA REGIONAL PARK,"

introduced on April 17, 2019, reports as follows:

The purpose of the Resolution is to join in the residents' opposition to the following master planned improvements to the Ala Moana Regional Park: the widening of any walkways in the makai side of Ala Moana Park Drive; the proposed dog park near Kewalo Basin; the addition of perpendicular parking stalls on the mauka side of Ala Moana Park Drive; sand replenishment with any sand taken from the areas outside the surf breaks known as "Courts," "Concessions," and "Baby Haleiwa"; and the one-acre "world class" playground.

The Deputy Director of the Department of Parks & Recreation testified with concerns.

The Acting Director of the Department of Design and Construction testified with concerns about the resolution.

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Your Committee received testimony in support of the Resolution from 19 individuals and the following organizations: Outdoor Circle Greater Waikiki Branch, Save Ala Moana Beach Park Hui, Malama Moana and Friends of Kewalos. Testimony in opposition was received from 23 individuals and the following organization: Paani Kakou. Comments were received from 1 individual and a petition from Malama Moana.

Your Committee on Parks, Community Services and Intergovernmental Affairs is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 19-92 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Tsuneyoshi – 1; Ayes with reservations: Anderson, Menor – 2; Noes: None; Excused: Elefante, Manahan – 2.)

Respectfully submitted,


Committee Chair

At the 5/8/19 Council meeting, the Resolution was amended and subsequently adopted as Resolution 19-92, FD1.

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